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Hon. Benson E. Legg
United States District Judge
U.S. Court House
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Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Re: Cooper, et al. v. Allied Signal Technical Services Corp., Civil No. L98-4220
Blaustein, et al. v. Allied Signal Technical Services Corp., Civil No. L99-2835
Parraway, et al. v. Allied Signal Technical Services Corp. Civil No. L99-3806

Dear Judge Legg:

I am reporting to the court concerning the status of the parties' settlement discussions. We believe that these discussions have been fruitful and that an additional period of two weeks may enable us to complete them. Therefore, we respectfully request an extension of the deadline for the parties' submissions from the current date of December 1, 2000 to December 15, 2000.

We appreciate the court's consideration of this request.

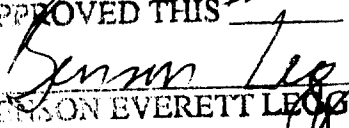
Very truly yours,



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APPROVED THIS ~~28TH~~ DAY OF November, 2000

BENSON EVERETT LEGG, U.S.D.J.

